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 Norbert Heske, et al.) Group: 3736
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 TISSUE SPECIMENS USING A VACUUM) Examiner: E. Lloyd

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Sir:

Applicants wish to bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents identified on the attached form PTO-SB08a. Applicants respectfully request that these documents be made of record in the present application.

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